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Abstract: The toxic dinoflagellate *Alexandrium fundyense* Balech was grown  
under temperature- and nutrient-limited conditions, and changes in  
labeling intensity on intact cells were determined for two probe types:  
an oligonucleotide probe targeting *rRNA* and a monoclonal antibody  
(MAB) targeting a cell surface protein. In nutrient-replete batch  
culture, labeling with the *rRNA* probe was up to 400% brighter  
during exponential phase than during stationary phase, whereas MAB  
labeling did not change significantly with growth stage at the optimal  
growth temperature. In cultures grown at suboptimal, low temperatures,  
there was a significant difference between labeling intensity in  
stationary versus exponential phase for both probe types, with  
exponential cells labeling brighter with the *rRNA* probe and  
slightly weaker with the MAB. The decrease in *rRNA* probe labeling  
with increasing culture age was likely due to lower abundance of the  
target nucleic acid, as extracted RNA varied in a similar manner. With  
the IMAI, and the *rRNA* probes, slower growing cultures at low,  
nonoptimal temperature labeled 35% and 50% brighter than cells growing  
faster at warmer temperatures. Some differences in labeling intensity  
per cell disappeared when the data were normalized to surface area or  
volume, which indicated that the number of target antigens or  
*rRNA* molecules was relatively constant per unit area or volume,  
respectively. Slow growth accompanying phosphorus and nitrogen  
limitation resulted in up to a 400% decrease in labeling intensity with  
the *rRNA* probe compared to nutrient-replete levels, whereas the  
MAB labeling intensity increased by a maximum of 60%. With both probes,  
labeling was more intense under phosphorus limitation than under  
nitrogen limitation, and for all conditions tested, labeling intensity  
was from 600% to 3600% brighter with the MAB than with the *rRNA*  
probe. Thus, it is clear that significant levels of variability in  
labeling intensity can be expected with both probe types because of the  
influence of environmental conditions and growth stage on cellular  
biochemistry, cell size, *rRNA* levels, and the number or  
accessibility of cell surface proteins. Of the two probes tested, the  
*rRNA* probe was the most variable, suggesting that in automated,  
whole-cell assays, it can be used only in a semiquantitative manner.  
For manual counts, the human eye will likely accommodate the labeling  
differences. The MAB probe was less variable, and thus should be  
amenable to both manual and automated counts.

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Detection of red tide causing phytoplankton, **Heterosigma** akashiwo, by  
using fluorescence polarization.  
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ABSTRACT: Fluorescence polarization was applied to monitoring of the red  
tide phytoplankton, **Heterosigma** akashiwo, which frequently caused  
fish death. Fluorescence polarization is a measure of the time-averaged  
rotational motion of fluorescent molecules. First, 18S ribosomal RNA of  
dominant phytoplankton causing red tide was analyzed and a pair of the  
20mer origonucleotide was found as specific primers. The PCR was  
performed to amplify specific rRNA sequence and its PCR product was  
observed by electrophoresis. Then, the PCR product of FITC-labeled  
**primer** was applied to fluorescence polarization measurement. The  
increase of fluorescent polarization intensity of its PCR product was  
observed. (author abst.)

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